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Applicant(s): Ralf WOLLESCHEMSKY and Gunter MOEHLER

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Group: 2877

Filed: June 28, 2001

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For: METHOD FOR OPTICAL DETECTION OF AN ILLUMINATED SPECIMEN
IN A PLURALITY OF DETECTION CHANNELS

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COMPLETION OF APPLICATION

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith the following in order to complete the above application:

- (X) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
 - () Verified English Translation;
 - () Applicant is entitled to claim Small Entity Status [See 37 CFR 1.27];
 - (X) GERMAN Priority Document(s) No(s). 100 33 179.3 filed June 29, 2000,
the priority(ies) of which is(are) claimed under 35 USC 119;
 - (X) Other: Information Disclosure Statement, German Office Action, PTO-1449
with document;
 - (X) Formalities Letter dated August 17, 2001 (as required);
 - (X) Check in the amount of \$ 130.00
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees required with this submission to Deposit Account No: 50-1529.

With the filing of these documents, it is submitted that the application is now complete and in form for examination. Accordingly, such examination and favorable action are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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